In re Application of: H. Takeuchi,

Serial No.: 10/005,129

Art Unit: 3677

Examiner: T. Ho

Filed: December 7, 2001

For: Bendable Bottom Member For Bed

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an Extension of Time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to take the action required in the above-identified application, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith.

	Other than Small Entity	Small Entity	GROONOZIED
First Month	\$110.00	\$55.00	Com Cons
Second Month	\$400.00	\$200.00	3600
Third Month	<u>X</u> \$920.00	\$460.00	•

X A check in the amount of \$ 920.00 is attached hereto. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1424. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

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920.00 DP

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Townsend Reg. No. 22,069

Date: May 27, 2003

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